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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION, INTERVIEW SUMMARY AND SECOND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

This Response is being submitted in response to that certain Final Office Action, dated November 17, 2006, issued in connection with the above-described application. To discuss this Response, a conference call was conducted among Mr. Ryan Zender, Mr. Joseph Thomas and Mr. Vanel Franel, all examiners, Mr. John Sloan and Mr. Greg Couch, representatives of applicant, and Mr. Keith Landry, attorney-of-record, on January 18, 2007 (the "Conference Call"). In addition to this Response, applicant is also submitting the enclosed Request for Continued Examination, the second Request for Continued Examination filed in connection with this application. This Response and Request for Continued Examination are being filed within 4 months of the mailing date of the Final Office Action, and a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) requesting a one month extension of time is also enclosed. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application.